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**MARRIAGE AND FAMILY THERAPIST SECTION  
OF THE  
MARRIAGE AND FAMILY THERAPY, PROFESSIONAL COUNSELING  
AND SOCIAL WORK EXAMINING BOARD  
Room 121A, 1400 E. Washington Avenue, Madison WI  
OCTOBER 26, 2010**

*Notice: The following agenda describes the issues that the Section plans to consider at the meeting. At the time of the meeting, items may be removed from the agenda. Please consult the meeting minutes for a description of the actions and deliberations of the Section.*

**12:30 p.m.**

**MARRIAGE & FAMILY THERAPIST SECTION SCREENING PANEL**

- A. Call Open Session to Order.
- B. Convene to Closed Session to consider discipline (s. 19.85(1)(b), Stats., and to consider individual histories or disciplinary data (s. 19.85(1)(f), Stats.
  - a. Screen complaints received from the public against credential holders. The panel consists of 2 Section members and Department staff.
- C. Reconvene to Open Session.
- D. Vote on items considered or deliberated upon in Closed Session.
- E. Adjournment

**1:00 p.m.**

**MEETING OF THE MARRIAGE & FAMILY THERAPIST SECTION**

**OPEN SESSION - CALL TO ORDER – ROLL CALL**

Approval of Agenda

Election of Section Officers for Calendar Year 2011

- Chair
- Vice chair
- Secretary

Appointment of Panel Members and Section Liaisons for Calendar Year 2011

- Screening Panel Appointments
- Credentialing Liaison
- Division of Enforcement & Monitoring Liaison

- A. Approval of Minutes of July 26, 2010
- B. Administrative Report
  - Review of 2011 Meeting Dates

Status of Rules and Statutes

- C. Marriage & Family Therapist Section Discussion of Procedures for Evaluation of Foreign Marriage & Family Therapist Program Graduates

Report on AAMFT and AMFTRB 2010 Annual Meetings – Ann Marie Starr

Section Discussion of MPSW Joint Board Planning on Board Goals for 2010:

1. Amendment of Wis. Stat. 457.02 regarding repeal of provisions which restrict board license holders from providing treatment of substance abuse and substance use disorders

2. Create Supervisory Guidelines and address disparity of supervisor regulations across Regulations of the 3 Professions of the MPSW Joint Board
3. DHS Mental health Provider Status Letter Holders – Discussion on What Actions Should Be Taken by MPSW Joint Board in Terms of Recognizing Unlicensed DHS-Recognized Mental Health Providers

Class 1 Hearings on the Denial of Application for Marriage & Family Therapy Licensure: None

Approval Process for Marriage & Family Therapist Programs (through Equivalency)

Presentation of Proposed Stipulations: None

Presentation of Proposed Stipulations That May be Signed after Mailing of Agenda

Summary Reports on Pending Court Cases, Disciplinary Cases and Administrative Rules and Press Releases

Coalition Report – Bruce Kuehl

WAMFT Report – Arlie Albrecht

Correspondence and Inquiries Received by Legal Counsel

Informational Items

Public Comments

CONVENE TO CLOSED SESSION to deliberate on cases following hearing (s. 19.85(1)(a), Stats.; consider closing disciplinary investigation with administrative warning (s. 19.85(1)(b), Stats. and 440.205, Stats., to consider individual histories or disciplinary data (s. 19.85 (1)(f), Stats.; and, to confer with legal counsel (s. 19.85(1)(g), Stats.)

Deliberation for Class 1 Application Denial Hearings: None

Monitoring: None

Deliberation of Proposed Monitoring that May be Signed after Mailing of Agenda

Request for Supervisor Approval

Requests for Supervisor Approval Received After the Mailing of the Agenda

Deliberation of Proposed Stipulations that May Be Signed after Mailing of Agenda

Deliberation of Administrative Warnings: None

Deliberation of Administrative Warnings that May be Issued after Mailing of Agenda

Deliberation of Proposed Final Decisions and Orders that May be Received after Mailing of the Agenda

Deliberation of Petitions for Rehearings Received After the Mailing of the Agenda

Division of Enforcement – Case Status & Request for Case Closures

Application Reviews

RECONVENE INTO OPEN SESSION IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING CLOSED SESSION

Voting on Items Considered or Deliberated on in Closed Session, If Voting is Appropriate

DOE – Signature Collection

Other Section Business

ADJOURNMENT

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